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So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. McINNIS. Mr. Speaker, due to family commitments in Colorado, I was unable to vote on final passage of the following bill, H.R. 3916. Had I been able to vote, I would have voted "ave."

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 233. I was unavoidably detained. If present, I would have voted "aye" on rollcall

# PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. Speaker, on May 25, 2000, I was accompanying President Clinton to a funeral in the First District of Rhode Island and consequently I missed five votes.

Had I been here I would have voted: "No" on Ordering the Previous Question, H. Res. 511; "yes" on Agreeing to the Resolution, H. Res. 511; "yes" on Agreeing to the Resolution, H. Res. 331; "yes" on Motion to Recommit, H.R. 3916; and "yes" on Final Passage, H.R. 3916.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. MINGE. Mr. Speaker, due to illness, I was unable to be in the House Chamber for today's debate on H.R. 2559. Had I been here I would have spoken and voted in support of H.R. 2559. On rollcall vote 229, I would have voted "nay." On rollcall votes 230, 231, 232, and 233, I would have voted "yea."

DISPENSING WITH **CALENDAR** WEDNESDAY **BUSINESS** WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 2000

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the business in order under the Calendar Wednesday rule be dispensed with on Wednesday, June 7, 2000.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SHIMKUS). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

AUTHORIZING THE SPEAKER, MA-JORITY LEADER, AND MINORITY LEADER TO ACCEPT RESIGNA-TIONS AND TO MAKE APPOINT-MENTS AUTHORIZED BY LAW OR THE HOUSE, NOTWITHSTANDING ADJOURNMENT

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Tuesday, June 6, 2000, the Speaker, majority leader, and minority leader be authorized to accept resignations and to make appointments authorized by law or by the House.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF HON. FRANK R. WOLF TO ACT AS SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE TO SIGN ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS THROUGH JUNE 6, 2000.

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

> WASHINGTON, DC. May 25, 2000.

I hereby appoint the Honorable FRANK R. Wolf to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through June 6, 2000.

J. DENNIS HASTERT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives. The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the appointment is agreed

There was no objection.

#### HUMAN GENOME PROJECT

(Mr. CALVERT asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. CALVERT. Mr. Speaker, as I rise today, we are perhaps days away from an announcement of the completion of a draft map of the entire human genome. This is a major milestone in biological science, an achievement that some have likened to the Moon landing and the invention of movable type.

My subcommittee has held two hearings on the status of the human genome project involving both the public and private sector. Three themes have emerged from these hearings:

First, the medical breakthroughs stemming from this research will be

immense:

Second, the competition and cooperation between the public and private sector has brought us to this moment and will deliver results for us all;

Third, Congress' duties in areas such as ethical, legal, and social implications of genetics research, as well as the need to fund gene-based disease therapies, will require us to think wisely and legislate prudently.

I commend the public and private sector researchers for achieving this scientific milestone. Truly, a bright future beckons.

### NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY

(Mr. LAMPSON asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. LAMPSON. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to commend today as National Missing Children's Day. Mr. Speaker, you and I this morning attended a breakfast that was put on by the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children to commemorate all of the missing children across this country.